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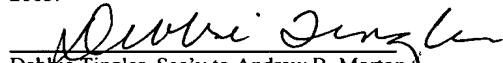
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FINKENBINDER ET AL.)
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Serial No. 09/970,360)
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BRUSH RETAINING)
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Enclosed are the following documents:

Request for Filing a Divisional Application Under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) (*in duplicate*)

Complete Copy of Prior Application (Specification, Claims and Abstract (18 pages))

Copy of Formal Drawings as Originally Filed (14 Sheets)

Copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney as Originally Filed

Copy of Assignment as Originally Filed

Preliminary Amendment

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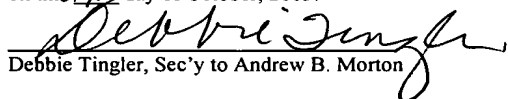


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**REQUEST FOR FILING A DIVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is a request for filing a divisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b), of pending prior Application No. 09/970,360, filed on October 1, 2001, for "Electric Motor and Brush Retaining Assembly."

1. Enclosed is a copy of the latest inventor-signed prior application, including a copy of the Oath or Declaration showing the original signatures or an indication it was signed. I hereby certify that the papers are a true copy of the latest signed prior Application No. 09/970,360, and further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under § 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

2. The filing fee is calculated to be \$860.00, there being a total of 25 claims, 1 of which is independent. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0987. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.


4. A check in the amount of \$860.00 is enclosed.
5. Cancel in this application original claims 26-33 of the prior application.
6. With respect to the prior co-pending U.S. application from which this application claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120, the inventors in this application are the same.
7. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application is a divisional of Application No. 09/970,360, filed October 1, 2001."
8. Formal drawings as originally filed are enclosed.
9. The prior application is assigned of record to Ametek, Inc., at Reel 012458, Frame 07006. By terms of that instrument, this application is similarly assigned.
10. The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to Phillip L. Kenner (Reg. No. 22,353); Edward G. Greive (Reg. No. 24,726); Donald J. Bobak (Reg. No. 27,182); Ray L. Weber (Reg. No. 26,519); Joseph G. Curatolo (Reg. No. 28,837); Rodney L. Skoglund (Reg. No. 36,010); Andrew B. Morton (Reg. No. 37,400); Arthur M. Reginelli (Reg. No. 40,139); Shannon V. McCue (Reg. No. 42,859); Salvatore A. Sidoti (Reg. No. 43,921); John J. Cunniff (Reg. No. 42,451); Mark L. Weber (Reg. No. 46,069); James E. Oehlenschlager (Reg. No. 50,164); and Tama L. Drenski (Reg. No. 50,323). The Power of Attorney appears in the original papers in the prior application. Address all future correspondence to:

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